

Some Attractive Propositions

We have some mighty attractive propositions for you this week.

New Pickles and Sauerkraut, Bottled and Bulk

Sweet Cider and New Country Sorghum

This Year's Nuts, Shelled and Whole

New Crop Raisins and Currants

Pearl Hominy Canned Hominy Flake Hominy

Fresh Package Goods

Everything sweet, clean and fresh

Williams' Grocery

COME IN AND SEE US

Condensed Official Statement of the Missouri State Bank and The Walton Trust Company (Associate Institutions) as Rendered to the State Bank Commissioner at the Close of Business October 31st, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Money loaned	\$ 918,222.48
Overdrafts	4,163.06
Real Estate, including banking house	43,906.82
Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00
Cash Reserve	202,437.10
	\$1,171,729.46

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$ 305,000.00
Surplus and Profits	154,796.02
Deposits	578,733.44
Bills Payable	133,200.00
	\$1,171,729.46

Our net surplus and undivided profits are \$154,796.02, same being the largest of any banking institution in Bates County.

That the service extended by this institution is satisfactory to our patrons is evidenced by the continued growth and business accumulated. We are prepared in every branch of the banking business to amply provide for our host of customers.

"THE OLD RELIABLE"

Save Up Your Money

For our 10 Days' Sale, Beginning Dec. 1st, Ending Dec. 10th

Explanation

We accidentally bought something cheap. We will sell it at our regular per cent of profit.

What Is It?

It's Christmas Goods. Our regular stock has been in for several weeks.

The Bargains are Coming

Keep it on your mind. 10 days only. 1000 articles. One of a kind at less than regular whole-sale cost.

United Drug Company.

Telephone 15 13 East Side Square Butler, Mo.

General News of the Week

United States Consul Theodore Cushing Hamm died Nov. 7, of small pox at his post in Durango, Mexico, where he had been stationed since August 1911.

President Wilson does not expect a presidential primary-law to be passed at the next session of Congress and some Democratic leaders do not believe on can be enacted to be effective in 1916.

Turkish troops are reported to have invaded Egypt. Dispatches from Rome declare that it was officially stated from Constantinople that "with the help of Allah," Turkish troops crossed the Egyptian frontier Nov. 8.

Two carloads of bandages, hospital garments and clothing for women and children have been sent to the European war zone from Chicago by the Red Cross Society, it was announced Nov. 9. A third car will be sent this week.

Local dealers at Ft. Smith have contracted with European agents for the shipment of five cars of horses and mules to the assembling point at Kansas City each week. Shipments will be made each Tuesday and the contract is for an indefinite length of time.

The death toll of Nov. 6 prairie fire near Belfield, Colo., in which Miss Gladys Hollister, a country school-teacher, and three of her young pupils lost their lives, was increased to seven today when three other pupils died from burns they suffered in a vain dash from the schoolhouse toward a plowed field. Large tracts of hay land in this vicinity have been swept by recent fires, the damage aggregating \$50,000.

Notwithstanding the departure of young men to the war, marriages in England and Wales for the quarter ending October 1 were 1.2 per cent greater than the mean rate for ten preceding quarters, the rate per thousand being 17.4. In the same period the birth rate was 1.8 per cent below the mean rate of the period named, and the death rate was .9 below the mean average.

Dr. Robert J. Burdette, preacher and humorist, is at the point of death at his home, Sunnyside, Pasadena, attending physicians say. Dr. Burdette is 70 years old and has been ill two years. He came to California in the early eighties, after having won a name as a newspaper humorist on The Burlington (Ia.) Hawkeye. From 1903 to 1909 he was pastor of Temple Baptist Church, one of the largest congregations in the city.

The supreme court Nov. 9 dismissed the suit of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company against the United States for 61 million dollars for failure to convey to it alternate sections of land through former Indian Territory. The grant to the road was to become effective when the United States acquired title to the Indian land. The government's contention was that such title never was acquired within the meaning of the act.

Bernard Doran Killian, 78 years old who had a varied career, died last week in Chicago. Mr. Killian was born in Ireland. He came here in 1850. While studying law he gained some experience, in the office of Arnoux, Rich & Woodward. On being admitted to the bar he went to St. Louis and entered politics. He served two terms in the state senate. About this time he founded the Western Banner in St. Louis, latter issuing an edition of that paper in Chicago. He leaves three daughters and two sons.

An unofficial list of representatives-elect to the next Congress was completed today by South Trimble, clerk of the House of Representatives, and sent to the public printer. The compilation, not finally verified but printed for information of Congress, gives Democrats 233, Republicans 193, Progressives 7, independent 1, Socialist 1; totals, 435. The names of C. C. Van Dyke of St. Paul, Democrat, as the successor of Representative Fred C. Stevens of Minnesota, a veteran Republican and W. E. Williams, Democrat, who succeeds himself as representative-elect at large from Illinois, were among the eleventh-hour additions to the unofficial list.

Hog cholera virus, manufactured at the Union Stock Yards at Chicago has been found to be infected with germs of the foot and mouth disease and two plants making the remedy today were closed by Dr. Samuel F. Bennett, chief of the federal inspectors in the district. All the virus on hand, worth about \$200,000 was condemned. Seventy-

five inspectors were detailed to visit all farms to which the virus has been shipped since October. Suspicion that the serum was infected was aroused when the hoof and mouth disease broke out in localities where no cattle, sheep or hogs had been shipped from the Union Stock Yards. Hogs were attacked in these localities and it was learned that they had been treated with virus for cholera. A bacteriological examination of virus proved the infection.

Warning was issued from Columbia against undue nervousness as to floating rumors in many parts of this state in cases where farmers have mistaken old ailments in cattle for foot and mouth disease. Dr. D. F. Luckey, state veterinarian, is now in Chicago on official business and will be especially prepared for any contingency that may arise in Missouri. Concerning the foot and mouth disease, Secretary Mayes says. "The state board of agriculture has a rush order in and is issuing a special bulletin on the foot and mouth disease, the subject of all absorbing interest at this ailment in agricultural and live stock circles all over the United States. "In keeping with its policy of constant attention to the vast interests of live stock farming, the board in this instance is especially well prepared to do timely duty to the state."

C. F. Adams, president of the Missouri division, and Robert N. Carson, president of the Iowa division of the Canada, Kansas City and Gulf Highway Association, shook hands across the state line, two miles north of Powersville, Mo., Monday morning and congratulated each other on the completion of the most modern dirt road of its length in the country. The tourist which left Kansas City Friday morning to dedicate and formally open Missouri's part of the Canada, Kansas City and Gulf Highway reached Powersville late Saturday afternoon, then were escorted to the Iowa line by a party of good roads boosters from Ottumwa, Ia. Six bands greeted Col. Frank W. Buffum, Missouri state highway engineer, E. E. Peake, secretary of the Kansas Motor Car Dealers' Association, and their party at the towns along the route in Northern Missouri. The Canada, Kansas City and Gulf Highway is a dirt road through Missouri and Iowa. From Iowa City to Kansas City it is well marked. It means more to Kansas City than any other road entering it from the east. Motor traffic from the east to the San Francisco fair next year will be deflected through Iowa City, Chillicothe and Kansas City by the perfect condition of this highway.

Big Closing Out Sale!

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the old Pleasant Hill farm 6 1/2 miles west and 1 1/2 miles south of Butler, Mo., or 2 miles east and 2 miles south of Virginia, Mo., on

Monday, November 16th, 1914 - the following described property. Sale beginning at 10 a. m.

38 Head of Live Stock

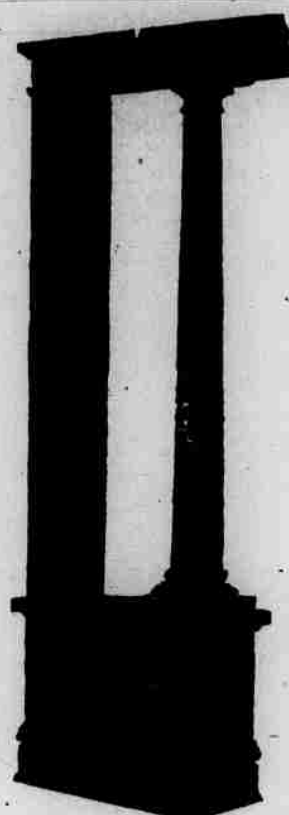
13 Head of Horses and Mules—1 bay mare 5 years old, weight 1100 pounds, broke for lady to hitch and drive, extra fancy; 1 dapple gray mare, weight 1300 pounds, 6 years old, bred to jack; 1 gray mare, 8 years old, weight 1200 pounds, bred to jack; 1 gray mare 6 years old, weight 1200 pounds, all purpose mare; 1 white horse 8 years old, weight 1250 pounds, 1 white horse 6 years old, weight 1250 pounds, an extra good team; 1 bay horse, weight 900 pounds, 5 years old. 1 span 5 year old mules, weight 2400 pounds, 16 hands high and well broke; 1 span yearling mules, 1 weanling mule; 1 horse colt. These horses are all in extra good salable condition and any one wanting good stuff will not be disappointed in them.

10 Head of Cattle—5 three year old milch cows all giving milk; 5 spring calves.

15 Head of Extra Fine Poland China Hogs—All pure bred, 8 boars and 7 sows. These hogs are immune from cholera, and are from the best herds in the country. Anyone wanting some good breeding stock will find something fine here.

Farm Implements—1 farm wagon in good shape; 1 low wheel wagon; 1 iron truck and hay frame; 8-foot Acme Queens binder good as new; 2-row stalk cutter; 1 Black Hawk corn planter; 1 John Deere gang plow; 1 J. I. Case gang plow; 14-inch walking plow; 3 Bushy Bee cultivators, 1 spring trip, 1 disc cultivator; 3 section harrow; 1 buggy; 1 set single harness; 1 corn sheller; 1 road drag; 2 sets of 14-inch

Our Interior Colonades



Represent the highest achievements both in material and prices that has ever been offered to the home owner.

Where two rooms open into each other and you want the effect of one large room, this kind of Colonade will give it and at a very small expense. It will add a tone of refinement and luxury to your home that is afforded by no piece of furniture. The illustration in no way does justice to this most beautiful Colonade.

Our Artistic Oak and Yellow Pine Stair Newels, Steps, Balusters and Angle Newels

Are manufactured with one object, to please. They are up to date in true Mission style for bungalows and plain country homes. They are perfectly smooth and will take a stain, hard oil finish, and finishes beautifully if painted with Sewall's Interior paint.

Come in and let's figure out just what we can save you in modernizing your old stairway. It will surprise you how cheaply the old stair can be made a beautiful piece of interior finish.

Our prices are Extremely Low on all mill work, and we can save

you money if you will only give us an opportunity.

Logan-Moore Lumber Co.

Phone 18—Butler, Mo.

breeding harness in good shape; 1 set of 14-inch breeding harness good as new; 1 35 pound stock saddle; 1 12-barrel steel water tank. 4 good wolf hounds. 250 hens.

2000 Bushels of Extra Good Yellow Corn guaranteed to grade No. 2, can be left in crib until March 1st—3 1/2 miles from shipping station; one stack of oats straw; one stalk field: 25 bushels of pure white seed oats.

Household and Kitchen Furniture—1 telephone and stock in company; cream separator; 12-gallon barrel churn; 100-egg incubator; piano sealed organ; Round Oak heater No. 16; Range stove; and all household goods and kitchen furniture and dishes etc. and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash; all sums over that amount a credit of 9 months will be given, note to draw 8 per cent from date. 4 per cent off for cash on all sums over \$1.00. Nothing removed until settled for. Bankable note required.

Lunch by Ladies Aid of Christian church of Virginia.

J. J. WILLIAMS.
Col. C. E. Robbins, Auctioneer.
Everett Drysdale, Clerk.

Anti-Hog Cholera Campaign.

Monday, November 16th, 1914, the men from the Agricultural College will come to Bates County to teach the hog raisers how to stamp out this dread disease, and will observe the following itinerary:

Monday, November 16th, Aaron, 10 a. m. Ballard 1 p. m. Olive school house, 3:30 p. m. Altona, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, November 17th—Burdette 10 a. m. Merwin 10 p. m. Amsterdam 3:30 p. m. Adrian, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, November 18—Passaic 10 a. m. Elkhart, 1 p. m. Virginia 3:30 p. m. Amoret 7:30 p. m. Thursday, November 19th—Nyhart 10 a. m. Foster, 1 p. m. Hume 3:30 p. m. Rich Hill, 7:30 p. m.

Friday, November 20th—Peru 10 a. m. Pleasant Gap, 1 p. m. Papinville 3:30 p. m. Rockville 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, November 21st—Hudson, city, 10 a. m. Spruce 1 p. m. Butler 3:30 p. m. Summit school 7:30 p. m.

Farmers, keep these meetings in mind, if you get any good out of them it will be necessary for you to be present. A. H. CULVER.

THE Trey O' Hearts

The great modern problem story it will appear serially at the

Electric Theater

Every Thursday night for 15 Weeks A thrill in every paragraph, a tremor in every scene

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Thursday afternoon of this week Program—three reels of Trey o' Hearts and Universal Ike, comedy.

Special music at night by Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

Admission 5c